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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

ITW TECH SPRAY, L.L.C.,

Plaintiff,

V.

TECH SPRAY MANAGEMENT
COMPANY, L.L.C., RICHARD RUSSELL
AND RITA RUSSELL,

Defendants

ECF CASE

Civil Action No. '07-CIV-6676
Judge Crotty

DEFENDANTS' RULE 7.1
STATEMENT

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Tech Spray Management Company, L.L.C., Richard Russell and Rita Russell herby certify that they are non-governmental parties and there are no corporate parents, affiliates, and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the following counsel of record, who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served this 14th day of September 2007 with a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule 5.2.

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